Sanitized Copy Approved for Release 2011/03/02: CIA-RDP90-01208R000100200057-9 WASHINGTON STAR 17 FEB 1973 **CIA-Trained Police** SIR: Representative Edward I. Koch, of New York has expressed "outrage" over an admission by the CIA that it has helped train some policemen in wiretapping, handling explosives, and preparing intelligence reports. In this day and age when serious crime is rampant and the subverters of Russia, China, and other communist countries are successfully fomenting labor, race, welfare, and other strife; when we have anarchists, revolutionists and communists causing riots and rebellion under the guise of anti-war activities; it would appear that the congressman should Le happy that we have a well-trained agency like the CIA to help train local police in their strenuous, dangerous and important duties. Such STAT training does not imply control nor coes it imply that the

CIA is pursuing its underground activities in the United

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